

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Public Services –Social Welfare Department – Departmental Proceedings initiated against Smt. Y.Sita Mahalakshmi, the then Deputy Director (SW) Nalgonda presently working as Deputy Director (SW) A.P. - Appointment of Enquiry Officer under Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991- Orders – Issued.

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SOCIAL WELFARE (SER.I.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 208

Dated: 15-03-2019

Read the following:-

- 1)G.O.Rt.No.469, SW(SER-1-1) Department, Dated:05.07.2012.
- 2)G.O.Rt.No.199, Scheduled Castes Development (Ser.A1) Department,datd:28.04.2015 of State of Telangana.
- 3)G.O.Rt.No.200, Scheduled Castes Development (Ser.A1) Department,datd:28.04.2015 of State of Telangana.
- 4)Orders Dated:04.11.2016 of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.MP.No.46683/2016 in W.P.No.37894/2016.
- 5)From the Director, SCDD, State of Telangana, Hyderabad, Lr.No.A1/2045/2012, dated:11.01.2017.along with file bearing No.A1/2045/2012 with c.f 399-667 pages and N.F.1to 58 pages.
- 6)From the DSW, AP., Lr.Rc.No.A1/2045/2012, Date:7.02.2019.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, articles of charges were framed against Smt. Y.Sita Mahalakshmi, the then Deputy Director (SW) Nalgonda, on certain allegations made against her.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, necessary orders have been issued appointing enquiry authority to conduct detailed enquiry into the charges framed against the individual and in the reference 3rd read above the presenting officer is also appointed for presenting the case on behalf of the Government.

3. Aggrieved by the above, the charged officer has filed W.P.MP.No.46683/2016 in W.P.No.37894/2016 before the High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad on 04.11.2016, the Hon'ble High Court has made the following order.

"Having regard to the decision in M.L. Kumar V.A.P.S.R.T.C.,Cuddapah (1990-11LJ 23 (AP) of this court and that of the Kerala High Court in V.Abusali V. Commandant (1995-1LLN640) and also on the ground that the Petitioner was admittedly to the State of Andhra Pradesh, the State of Telangana, which is the 1st respondent or respondent No.s 2 and 3, who are officers of the State of Telangana cannot conduct any enquiry against the petitioner."

4. In the reference 5th read above, while furnishing the details of the case the Director of Scheduled Caste Development Department, State of Telangana Hyderabad, while furnishing the original files pertaining to the disciplinary cases initiated against Smt. Y. Sita Mahalakshmi the then Deputy Director (SW) Nalgonda and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), AP., has requested this Department to take further action in the matter.

5. In the reference 6th read above, the Director of Social Welfare has requested the Government to appoint an enquiry officer to conduct detailed enquiry into the charges framed against the individual and also to appoint a presenting officer for presenting the case on behalf of the Government.

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6. Government after careful examination of the entire matter and keeping in view the orders of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.MP.No.46683/2016 in W.P.No.37894/2016 & in exercise of powers conferred by Sub-Rule 20(2) and Rule 20(5) (C) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 hereby appoint Sri R. Mallikarjuna Rao, Joint Director, Guntur as Enquiry Officer to conduct enquiry into the charges framed against Smt. Y.Sita Mahalakshmi, the then Deputy Director (SW) Nalgonda and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), AP.

7. The Enquiry Officer shall conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub- rule 18(ii) of the above said rule. Copy of the charge memo issued to the Delinquent Officer is herewith furnished to the Enquiry Officer as required under Rule 20 (7) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.S.RAWAT
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri. R.Mallikarjuna Rao, Joint Director, Guntur.

Smt. Y.Sita Mahalakshmi the then Deputy Director (SW) Nalgonda – Presently working as Dy.Director, (SW) AP.,

(through the Director of Social Welfare, AP., Tadepalli)

The Director of Social Welfare, Tadepalli, Amaravathi.

Copy to:

The Scheduled Castes (Ser-A1) Development Department, Secretariat,
Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Director, SCD, TS, Hyderabad, Telangana State, Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER